## CHAPTER NO. 690

## SENATE BILL NO. 2329

## By Haynes, Cooper, Dixon, Ford

Substituted for: House Bill No. 2306

By Curtiss, Tindell, Armstrong, Towns, Hagood, Boyer, Ralph Cole, Westmoreland

AN ACT To amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 65-28-103, relative to intrastate natural gas pipeline corporations and pertinent rules or regulations promulgated pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-3-2303(2).

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 65-28-103(b), is amended by adding the following language to be designated as subdivision (3):

(3) Any contractual arrangements made by an intrastate natural gas pipeline corporation for transportation of natural gas pursuant to the provisions of subsection (b)(1) shall remain in effect according to their terms if such agreements are entered into, or permits are granted, during the pilot project, even though the term of such transportation agreement shall be for a longer term than the pilot project and without regard to whether the pilot project is extended or is not extended.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 4, 2000

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

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APPROVED this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May 2000

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